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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Sylvain KRAVTCHENKO et al.

Application No.: 09/836,643

Filed: April 18, 2001

For: COMPOSITIONS FOR OXIDATION DYEING
KERATINOUS FIBERS COMPRISING AT LEAST
ONE 1-(4-AMINOPHENYL) PYRROLIDINE AND
AT LEAST ONE THICKENING POLYMER
COMPRISING AT LEAST ONE SUGAR UNIT,
AND DYEING METHODS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

In reply to the Office Action dated August 28, 2002, the period for reply having been extended three months to February 28, 2003, by a request for extension and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this Application in view of the following remarks.

REMARKS

I. Status of the Claims

Claims 1-49 are pending. No claim is amended by this response.

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